

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of)
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	Tetsuro Inui et al.)
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Serial No.:	10/624,082) Art Unit
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For:	DISPERSION MONITORING METHOD AND)
	APPARATUS AND DISPERSION SLOPE)
	TEMPERATURE DEPENDENCY COMPENSATION)
	METHOD AND APPARATUS)
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Examiner:	Hibret Asnake Woldekidan)

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that the shortened statutory period which was set for responding to the Office Action dated February 6, 2008, in the above-identified patent application be extended for one month until June 6, 2008.

The Electronic Application Patent Fee Transmittal submitting Credit Card Payment in the amount of \$120.00 is attached herewith for payment of the fee associated with this Petition, as set forth in 37 CFR § 1.17. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or to credit any overpayment in connection with this Petition to Deposit Account No. 23-3178.

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefore and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 23-3178.

Dated this 28th day of May 2008.

Respectfully submitted,

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